



Materials: 80-150yds bulky weight (size 5) yarn (I used <u>Stitch Please™ Superwash</u> <u>Chunky)</u>, size 8 (5mm) dpn or circular needles(for magic loop method), yarn needle, stitch marker, cable needle

# Stitch Key

K - knit P - purl
M1 - make 1 increase sts - stitches

k2tog - knit 2 together ssk - slip slip knit decrease

Gauge: appx 3.5sts x 6rows per inch GAUGE IS IMPORTANT! SWATCH FIRST!

Sizes - toddler, child, teen/ladies, men

**Notes** - These mittens are NOT left and right specific so make 2 of the below instructions. There are no notations for left-handed knitters because these are ambidextrous.

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## **Aaron Stitch Pattern**

Round 1 - knit around

Round 2 - k1p1 around

Round 3 - knit around

Round 4 - p1k1 around

#### Wrist

Cast on 22(26, 30, 34)sts. Join in the round. Place beginning of round marker. K1P1 ribbing for 12(16, 20, 20) rounds

# Hand

From here begin working in Aaron stitch pattern

Round 1 - m1, k11(13, 15, 17) m1, k11(13, 15, 17) [26(30, 34, 36)sts]

Round 2 - work in Aaron Stitch Pattern around

Repeat round two 1 more time for teen/ladies, and 2 more times for men size

# **Thumb Gusset**

Round 3 - m1, work 2, m1, work in pattern around. 28(32, 36, 40)sts

Round 4 - work in pattern around

Round 5 - m1, work 4, m1, work in pattern around. 30(34, 38, 42)sts

Continue increasing thumb in pattern until there are 6(8, 10, 12)sts thumb sts.

After the last increase round place thumb sts on a stitch holder or spare yarn and remover marker. 24(28, 32, 36)sts

### Hand

cast on 1, pm, cast on 1, work in pattern 11(13, 15, 17),pm, Work in pattern 12(14, 16, 18). 26(30, 34, 38)sts

Work in Work in pattern for 12(16, 20, 24) rounds

#### Decrease

Round 1 - [k1, ssk, Work in pattern to 3sts before marker, k2tog, k1] repeat [to] once more. 22(26, 30, 34)sts

Round 2 - work in pattern around

Repeat round 1 and 2 until you have 12(12, 12, 16) sts left ending after a round 1. Kitchener stitch the remaining sts.

### **Thumb**

Pick up 4sts along the cast on edge, place the sts on the stitch holder on your needles. 10(12, 14, 16)sts

Work in stockinette for 8(10, 12, 14) rounds.

Next Round - k2tog around 5(6, 7, 8)sts

Do not bind off. Cut yarn leaving 8-10ins to weave ends. Thread the yarn through your remaining sts and cinch closed.

Weave in all ends, make another mitten for your other hand, and enjoy your toasty warm hands.

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